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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: SUDO, et al

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For: RECEIVER FOR RECEIVING A SPECTRUM DISPERSION SIGNAL

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 19, 2002

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claim 1 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter thereof.

Please add new claims 4 and 5 as follows:

- 4. A mobile communication terminal for receiving a spread spectrum signal intermittently, comprising:
- a receiver which receives said spread spectrum signal;
  - a demodulation unit which demodulates said spread spectrum signal received by the receiver;
  - a first timer started when said receiver changes from a receiving state to a suspension state;
  - a second timer started when said receiver changes from the suspension state to